

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-20 are currently pending in the present application.

The specification has been amended to include a "Brief Description of the Drawings" section, in accordance with the Examiner's suggestion. The specification has also been amended to include other section headings, in accordance with U.S. patent practice. No new matter has added. Accordingly, entry of the amendment is requested.

Claims 1-20 are rejected on the ground of nonstatutory obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-20 of U.S. Patent No. 10/571,584 and claims 1-20 of U.S. Patent No. 10/569,985. To obviate the rejection, Applicant has submitted herewith a Terminal Disclaimer over U.S. Patent No. 10/571,584 and U.S. Patent No. 10/569,985, both assigned to BASF Aktiengesellschaft. Accordingly, withdrawal of the rejection is requested.

In view of the above amendments and disclaimer, Applicants believe the present application is now in condition for allowance. Early notification of the same is kindly requested.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-2775, under Order No. 12810-00216-US1 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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